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COMMENTS FROM THE TOWN MANAGER'S OFFICE

At the March 29th meeting of the Selectmen the application of the American Legion was approved for a liquor license.

The Selectmen have appointed Herbert Lyon as Constable with the duties to also act as Dog Officer.

As the snow removal season is about ended the following statistics may be of interest: Plowing 56.86 miles town ways and streets cost \$7,114.04 or \$125.10 per mile. Sanding, \$3,089.33 or \$54.30 per mile. Trucking snow from streets, \$1,985.26 Salt, \$2,071.66. Received from state, plowing state highways, \$4,167.88. Received from county, plowing 3.5 miles in Albany and Mason, \$453.01.

The following amount of surplus food was distributed the last week in March to 167 persons: Butter, 163 lbs.; Dried Eggs, 128 cans; Dry Milk, 351 lbs.; Lard, 215 lbs.; Corn Meal, 165 lbs.; and Flour, 830 lbs. Butter was available in February for the first time in two years. Two new items are being added in April, pork and gravy, and rolled oats. It is understood that peanut butter will become available at a future date. The present rate of distribution per person per month is as follows: Butter, 1 lb.; Dried Eggs, 1/2 can; Dry Milk, 3 lbs.; Lard, 1 1/2 lbs.; Corn Meal, 2 lbs.; Flour, 5 lbs.; Pork and Gravy, 1 can; and Rolled Oats, 1 lb.

Sincerely,
Harold L. Bean

JAYCEE WIVES TO HOLD DINNER MEETING APRIL 25

Mrs. Irene Huston, Lisbon Falls, president of Maine Jaycee Wives, Inc., will be guest of honor at a dinner meeting being held on April 25 at Mary Ladd's Wayside Inn, according to plans made at the Bethel Jaycee Wives meeting held on Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Robert Croteau.

Plans were also made for a food sale to be held on April 14 at the annex to Paul Shaw's store. A committee was named as follows: chairman, Mary Doonen, co-chairman, Pauline Croteau, committee, Margaret Merrill and Joan Howe.

A box lunch social will be held on April 22 at the home of Phyllis Blake. Members attending may invite another couple as their guests.

Nominations for club officer for the coming year were presented. Voting will take place at the annual meeting being held May 2 at the home of Rosabelle Tift.

Barbara Sprague of Farmington State Teachers College is spending this week's vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Irving Blowers.

Mrs. Fred Hamlin was given a surprise birthday party Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Franklin Chapman. A gift was presented by the group and refreshments were enjoyed. Those present were: Mrs. R. R. Tibbets, Mrs. Ada Bartlett, Mrs. Harold Rolfe, Mrs. Dana Brooks, Mrs. Elgin Tibbets, Mrs. Franklin Chapman and Miss Jeri Brooks.

The Maine Highway Safety Committee is urging all drivers to be especially careful not to run into children. Remember, though, that you also have a responsibility to obey the law and the rules of safe bike riding and walking. Make sure you do your share. Don't leave it all up to the car driver.

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FIVE TOWN TEACHERS CLUB MET APRIL 3

The regular meeting of the Five Town Teachers Club was held at Crescent Park School, April 3, with 21 members present.

Communications from the N. E. A. concerning the Kennedy Bill and Pan-American Week were read. Mrs. Hazel Wheeler, representative to the Health Council, reported the need for a Bazaar.

Edith Epper was elected to replace Eva Twitchell on the Salary Committee to serve for two years. Alice Ballard, Lois Burgess, and Elizabeth Wight were appointed to the nominating committee to report at the next meeting.

Mrs. Hazel Wheeler introduced Ross Fearon from the State Dept. of Education. Mrs. Fearon also answered questions concerning the Retarded and Slow Learner.

The committee for the May Meeting is Colista Morgan, Ruth Ring, and Doris Hayes.

MT. ABRAM SLOPES END SUCCESSFUL SKI SEASON

Skiing ended the past week at Mt. Abram Ski Slopes after a most encouraging first season. Plans for the 1961-1962 season include two trails, a three-quarter mile and a mile, both of which have been cleared. A new 3,350 foot T-Bar lift will serve these trails. It is planned to have the grounds available as a tenting area during the warm weather seasons.

FORMER ANDOVER COUPLE CELEBRATE GOLDEN WEDDING AT RUMFORD

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Pratt, residents of Andover until 1950, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on March 29. The celebration continued through the Easter week and when their oldest daughter and her family came from New Jersey.

Mr. and Mrs. Pratt were married in a home ceremony in Andover, March 29, 1911. She was the former Hazel Akers.

The couple were happily surprised on March 29 when her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer McAllister, her niece and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fuller and another sister, Mrs. Charles Emery, all of Portsmouth, N. H., arrived at the Pratt apartment at 29 Congress Street, Rumford, to help honor the day. Her niece, Mrs. Fuller brought a lovely wedding cake and another cake arrived, made by Mr. Pratt's only niece, Mrs. Stephen Haley of Farmington. They received many lovely cards, gifts, and flowers and received many calls from their friends. Their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. George Barbara McEner and their two children, Martha and Marshall, of Andover, helped plan the happy occasion.

Over the Easter week and her oldest daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Donald (Minerva) Grace and their daughter, Barbara, arrived from Westmont, N. J. Their youngest daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Charles (Patricia) McKennon of Simsbury, Conn., could not attend but did telephone and talk with them.

Before Mr. Pratt retired he was employed by the Rumford Water Co.

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The Canadian National Railways withdrew their petitions to the Public Utilities Commission of Maine and New Hampshire last week seeking to discontinue summer passenger service between Island Pond, Vt., and Portland.

As last year the road will provide a daily round-trip train between Portland and Montreal, starting the last week in June and continuing through Labor Day.

The management stated that they "will make one further effort during the vacation season of 1961 to see what can be done to eliminate loss in operation."

"The Canadian National Railways will bend every effort to promote these trains and encourage the traveling public to use them by such methods as advertising, special incentive fares and improving quality of service."

MRS. JOHN W. CARTER

Mrs. Ruth King Carter died Tuesday afternoon at her home in Mayville after an illness of several months.

She was born in Bethel Aug. 25, 1885, the daughter of George E. and Florence Clough King. She was educated in local schools and Gould Academy and was a talented musician. For many years she conducted dancing classes in Boston. She was a member of the Congregational Church, the Ladies Club and the Eastern Star.

Besides her husband she is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Carrie Loring of Yarmouth and Mrs. George Jarrold of Cincinnati, Ohio; a brother, Fred W. King of West Palm Beach, Fla.; and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held at the Greenleaf funeral home Friday afternoon at 2 p. m., Rev. Clifford Laws officiating.

MISS ANNIE S. DOWNS

Miss Annie S. Downs died Sunday at a Hollis hospital following a long illness.

She was born in Greenwood Oct. 29, 1903, the daughter of Lincoln P. and Fannie Jordan Downs. For over 15 years, she had operated a general store on the Flag Pond Road, Saco.

She is survived by a half-sister, Mrs. Fannie Baker, Bethel.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon from the Greenleaf funeral home.

ROLAND F. LITTLEFIELD

Roland F. Littlefield died at his home in North Waterford, Wednesday.

Born in Albany, August 6, 1873, he was the son of Alonzo and Lois Kneeland Littlefield. He attended local schools and was a millworker and farmer. He had resided at North Waterford most of his life.

Surviving besides his widow, Mona, are a son, Alfred, North Waterford, a son, George, Milford, Del., two grandchildren, a sister, Mrs. Lillian Meserve, Bethel.

Funeral services from the Huff funeral home, South Paris, Saturday at 2 p. m., Rev. Charles Schlock officiating. Interment will be in Hillside cemetery, East Stoneham.

Miss Joan Powichowski and her friends, Miss Anna May Cimochoewski, who attend Norwalk Academy in Connecticut, spent Easter vacation with Joan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Powichowski, where they took in skiing at Sunday River, Mount Abram and Sugarloaf. Joan, who is a senior, will join her parents after graduation in June.

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Hoyt Gunther, who is a patient at the CMG Hospital, is reported improving.

A quick snowfall of six inches or more Saturday retarded highway travel for several hours.

The MEC will meet at Mrs. Hazel Trinward's on Monday, April 10, for a six-thirty pot luck supper.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Robie of Boston were week end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kimball Ames.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Sahlborg and son visited Mrs. Edla East in Lincoln, Mass., over the Easter week end.

Dr. and Mrs. John Trinward and family were dinner guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Greenleaf in Norway.

Leslie Lee Davis of Lasell Junior College is spending this week's vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Davis.

Nancy Lincoln from Waterville is spending this week's vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lincoln.

Mrs. Henry Boyker and Miss Marilyn Boyker were in Boston Monday, and Marilyn left by plane to return to her work in Germany.

Miss Beverly Blake of Springfield College was at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Blake, over the week end.

Easter week end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul King were Geraldine King of U. of N. H., and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Coulter of Auburndale, Mass.

Students from MVTI, Portland, at home for a week's vacation are Peter Anderson, Albert Sumner, Paul Kimball, George Stowell, and Bobby Blake.

John Blowers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Irving Blowers, celebrated his ninth birthday on Wednesday, March 29. Those present were: Debbie Stearns, Judy Angeline, Sammy Chapman, Bruce, Douglas, Larry, Kerry Smith.

Miss Charlene M. Swain suffered minor injuries when thrown from a car on Route 2 last Saturday when it crashed a utility pole broadside. Neither Mrs. Bernice Swain, who was driving or another daughter, Leah, were injured.

The seventh and eighth grades of the Methodist Sunday School attended the Passover services at the Beth Abraham Synagogue in Auburn on Friday evening. Those attending were Roger Dock, Michael Tibbets, Robert Saunders, Alton Walker, Rebecca and Rachel Keniston, Victoria Robertson, Margaret Mundt, Rhonda Brown.

The Week in Oxford County

A group of parents in East Hebron have formed a Cub Scout Den. It is identified with pack 130 of the First Congregational Church, South Paris, and will be Den Four in that pack.

Paris High School will compete in State One-Act Play contest in the finals at the Pickard Theatre Memorial Hall, Brunswick, on Saturday. The school will present "My Heart's in the Highlands" by William Saroyan.

Fire destroyed the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Allen, Cottage St., Norway, Wednesday. Mrs. Allen was treated for burns. Loss was estimated at \$1,050.

Oxford is the only county in the State to make a reduction in the tax assessment for 1961-62. The amount is reported at \$14,450 under the 1959-60 total.

Patrolman Albert Flanders, Norway, reported he fired a shot at a man running from a drug store in Norway early Wednesday morning. The presumed wounded burglar was being sought. Investigators said a few dollars were taken in the break.

Rep. Gilman B. Whitman, R-Bryant Pond, proposes to correct the non-existence of a Maine State Forest on land the State already owns in northeastern Hancock county.

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RAY E. CROCKETT

Andover-East Andover

Mrs. Violet Swain, Corres.

The following East Andover Sunday School pupils have earned their perfect attendance bars for having accumulated three perfect quarters. First year: Lester Richardson; Third year: Rosemary Jodrey; Fourth year: R. Perry Stinson; Sixth year: Glenn Stinson and Carolyn Simmons; Seventh year: Billy Simmons and Rodney Swain; Eighth year: Nancy Glover. Bars were presented on Easter Sunday by Supt. Barbara Richardson.

Mrs. Louis Morton, Sr., Andover; her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Whitten, Sr., Andover; her daughter, Mrs. Ray Hodson, Wilton, and her daughter, Miss Beth Hodson of Wilton, made up a four generation birthday group in honor of Beth's birthday on March 27 at Wilton.

Pvt. Walter Akers has been discharged from the Army after serving four months, due to the illness of his wife. He and his wife live in Mexico but were former residents of this community.

Mrs. Robert B. Swain and her son, Robert, spent March 28 in Waterville visiting with her father.

Calvin Baker has been discharged from the Air Force after serving four years. He is now at the home of his mother, Mrs. Allen Fraser, at South Andover.

The Andover School Board, Mrs. Lucie Swain, Chairman; Roger Mills, Jr. and Colby Roberts held a meeting on March 27. Supt. Harvey McGuire acted as clerk. Voted to rehire all the present teachers for the coming year with an advance in salary. Voted to accept the resignation of Mary Johnston of the high school faculty. Voted to hire another teacher for the coming school year for the high school building. Discussed the ranking system in Andover and systems of other schools. Supt. McGuire will hire a teacher to complete Mrs. Johnston's year.

The Pineland Ski Club held their first meeting since the carnival on March 27 with 47 attending. It was reported that this was the most successful carnival ever held. All the committees reported.

The Queens brought in \$710.24 after their 8th was deducted. Canteen, \$170.36. Ticket sale at the jump and at the dance, \$439.75; Trophies for the adults, \$185.63, Junior trophies and the ribbons, \$16.50. At present there are still a few bills to pay but the treasurer has \$1,489.72 on hand. The ski team reported on the trip to Three Rivers, Que., where Clarence Remington placed second in the jumping. The Ski Club will sponsor a record hop on April 18 for the young people. Voted to help the Senior Class and the PTA on their projects.

A group of Sunday School teachers and workers met with Mrs. Barbara Richardson on March 28 to discuss teaching methods and how to tell stories by dramatization. Those attending were Rev. and Mrs. Nathaniel Pearson, Linda Akers, Barbara G. Meador, Marilyn White, Muriel Farrington, Lucie Swain, John Percival, Wanda White, Dorothy Smith, and Jean Stinson.

Mother's Club met on March 28 and gave Mrs. Jacqueline Berry a personal shower. Hostess was Mrs. Marion Morton and seven other members attended.

Pam Jean McCrellis has announced the Honor Roll for the third term. Seventh Grade: Patricia Emery, Raymond Hutchinson, Roberta Learned, Geraldine LeBlanc and Howard Perkins. Eighth Grade: Fred Emerson, Valerie Mubaud, and Margaret Smith. Freshmen: Tamara Emerson, Janice Harrington, Leon Akers and Theresa Sylvester. Sophomores: Larson Hiltz and Joanne LeBlanc. Juniors: Gail Learned, Marion Smith, and Norma White. Seniors: Dexter Blanchard, Juliette White, Wanda White, Dorothy Smith, and Jean Stinson.

Young people were pleased to have the church spire lighted nightly. Electrical work was done by Don French.

Ladies Aid Fund Sale netted \$304.00.

Night members of the Andover's Lion's Club met at the home and voted to disband. The organization was formed in Nov. 1958, the 100th Lion's Club in Maine, with a membership of 43. When the club disbanded there were 18 paid members and only about five active.

George Dunn had moved to Farmington, N. H., and the treasurer, Ken Goddard, plans to move from town the first of April. It was suggested that maybe a Men's Club could continue the projects that the Lion's had been doing. The past two and one half years they have sponsored the Pony League; sponsored two boys to Boys' State; donated to the church; made and operated a skating rink for two winters; taken care of the Andover Common and lighted the bandstand at Christmas time. There will be a meeting on April 11 to discuss forming a men's club, with smaller dues and keeping all the money in town.

Mrs. Joanne Palmer was badly burned by hot water on March 29 and had to remain in bed for a week. Her mother, Mrs. Ismay Hutchins is caring for the children.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Richard of Roxbury are the parents of their first child, a daughter, Paula, on March 30. She weighed nine pounds five ounces. Mrs. Richard is the former June Farrington of East Andover.

Mrs. Marjorie Hanson was a patient at the Community Hospital last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Reed and daughter, Dale, of Thompsonville, Conn., spent the holiday week end with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester White of East Andover celebrated their 25th anniversary on March 28.

Howard Whitten and Sadie Bailey have been patients at the Community Hospital.

The Mexico Baptist Choir presented a cantata at the church on March 29.

AHS is planning a prize speaking program on April 6 at 7:30, at the Town Hall. Those speaking will be Ann Morton, Marilyn White, Floyd Emerson, Dwight Hutchins, Larson Hiltz, Odella Blanchard, Alfred Marston, Joanne LeBlanc, all Sophomores, and Jean Stinson, a Senior. There will be selections by the Junior Glee Club (7th and 8th Grades).

The Community Club of East Andover presented all the members of this small community who were "over 70" Easter Baskets on Saturday before Easter. Those receiving them were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Coombs, Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Swain, Mrs. Lavina Danforth, Mrs. Mary Crooker, Mrs. Mary

Howard, Mrs. Eva Marston, and Kenneth Marston.

Thirteen members of the Ladies Aid motored to Bridgton on March 30 to be guests of Rev. and Mrs. Andrew Young, former pastor and his wife. They all enjoyed a delicious luncheon. After the regular business meeting Rev. Young entertained the ladies with poems by Robert Frost. The next meeting will be April 12 with Mrs. Millie Hodson when a missionary speaker from Kenya will be the guest. Attending were Millie Hodson, Carrie Morton, Sadie Palmer, Susie Poor, Birdie Withie, Alice Merrill, Mary Pearson, Anne Fox, Katherine Akers, Alma Hovey, Arville Feener, Mary Crooker, and Marion Bodwell.

Alumni officers met recently and made plans for the coming banquet. The 40 year class will have a reunion and each 10 year class will be represented at the banquet. Laura Learned is president; Marie Lang, Vice President; Secretary: Bevy Swan; Recording Secretary, Marguerite Emerson and Treasurer, Gloria Hutchins.

Small-Fry and Teenagers weathered an early spring snow storm on Saturday evening to compete in a talent show for the benefit of the Senior Class of AHS.

Nine acts presented by the Small-Fry were won by a team of sisters in a double tap routine, Connie and Peggy Zadakis of Rumford. Second prize was won by Jeannine Cyr of Rumford in a Beatnik Dance. Honorable mention went to a team of dancers doing the Charleston, Jackie Brooks and Michael Chretien of Bethel. Others participating in the Small-Fry were Kim Lucas, Bethel, Baton Act; Joan Richardson, East Andover, Piano Solo; Bobby Tiff, Bethel, Tap; Betty Sidelinger, Andover, vocal solo accompanied by Mrs. Herbert Knox; Pam Tibbets, Dixfield, Acrobatic; and Rodney Swain, East Andover, piano solo.

During the judging of the Small-Fry by the three judges, Mrs. Wallace Dinmore, Rumford; Mrs. Warren Percival, Andover, and John Jeglinski, of Rumford, Robert J. Swain

of East Andover played two selections on the piano.

The Teenagers opened their talent portion with Bobby Hutchins, Andover, with a guitar solo. There were ten acts in this half of the program. Lorraine Gallant, Rumford, won with her acrobatic number. Second prize went to Larson Hiltz of East Andover with a piano solo. Others participating were Janice Harrigan, Andover, piano solo; Ray Harrington, Bethel, guitar trapeze; Linda Paine, Bethel, piano solo; Vickie Michaud, Andover, piano solo; Peggy Mills and Julie Akers, Andover, vocal trio with Linda

Akers at the piano; Lorraine Gallant and Sharon McDougal, Rumford, Jazz routine; and Marilyn Bartlett, Rumford, ballet number.

Claude Blanchard acted as Master of Ceremonies. The show was organized by Mrs. Vivian Barlow of East Andover. The class netted \$63.00 toward their class trip.

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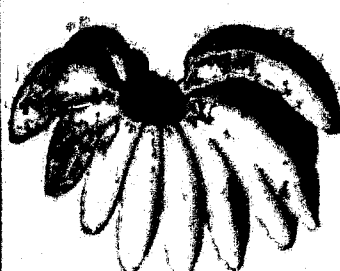
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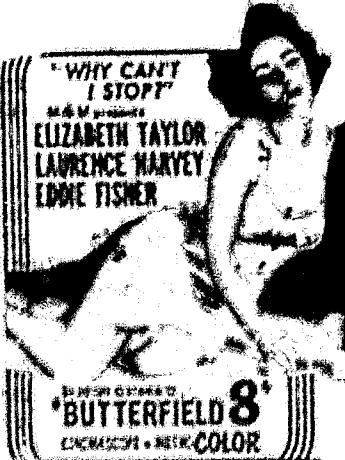
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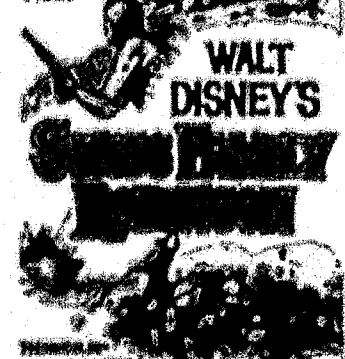
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Mrs. Lona Gilbert, Correspondent

Mrs. Mertie Emery visited her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Emery of Fryeburg on the week end. Her granddaughter, Virginia Emery, returned with her for a week's visit.

Joseph Perry was a dinner guest Easter Sunday of Mrs. Lurvey at Locke Mills.

Mrs. Roger Clough is receiving treatment at the CMG Hospital, Lewiston.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Mills (Jane Smith) of Bryant Pond are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son born March 29th at Rumford Community Hospital. Mrs. Mills is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Smith.

Mrs. Frances Bennett and Mrs. Catherine Wilson were hostesses at a coffee held Thursday morning at the Bennett home for the benefit of Pleasant Valley Grange. Present were Helen Saunders, Maggie Lowell, Joyce Bennett, Mertie Emery, Gladys Johnson, Lena Westleigh, Vickie Coulombe, Mabel Lambert, and the hostesses, Mrs. Bennett and Mrs. Wilson. Unable to attend were Josephine Kendall and Carla Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Gilbert and Mrs. Mary Abbott were in Portland Friday. Mrs. Abbott visited Mr. and Mrs. Byron Abbott at South Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Walker are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, Rebecca Gale, born March 30th at the Rumford Community Hospital. Mrs. Walker is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Westleigh.

Dorothy Lovejoy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Lovejoy, returned to school Monday. Dorothy was confined the last few days of the Easter recess with cold and flu.

Mrs. Edmund Smith was discharged from the Maine Medical Center, Portland, on Tuesday. She will stay with her daughter, Mrs. Milton Mills, at Bryant Pond, for a convalescent period before returning to her home here.

Dana Berry returned home from the Rumford Community Hospital on Tuesday.

The Chapel Aid Society of West Bethel Union Church will meet Wednesday, April 12 at 8 p. m. at Mrs. Richard Thompson's.

Mr. and Mrs. James Murphy and baby are spending a few

days with her mother, Mrs. Kenneth Lovejoy.

Mr. and Mrs. Alanson Cummings of Chestnut Hill, Conn., were guests on the week end of their daughter, Mrs. Cleveland Lovejoy, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Wheeler were in Springfield, Mass., Saturday to have a check-up on their little daughter Judith at Shriners Hospital. They were much pleased with the doctor's report on progress made since her discharge from the hospital.

Hollis Hutchinson, with Mr. and Mrs. Leon Tyler of Gilead, were in Kittery Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hutchinson and family. Robert Hutchinson was discharged from the hospital on Friday.

Trafton Westleigh returned to Bertie Briggs' Monday night after spending the Easter recess at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Westleigh, of West Baldwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Newton and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Newton attended the Maundy Thursday service at Locke Mills Union Church Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Head, Mary Jo Head and Mrs. Roy Newton attended the Easter Centata at Bryant Pond Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bennett and Arthur Bucknell of Denmark were in Augusta Thursday.

Guests on the week end of Mr. and Mrs. James Everett, Jr., were Mrs. Ruth Everett and David of Norway and Mr. and Mrs. George Cleaves of Yarmouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McKee of Bryant Pond were visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Roy Newton's, Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldred Rolfe of FSTC are spending their vacation at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rolfe.

Sherry Hutchinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hutchinson of Kittery is spending this week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Hutchinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bennett were in Portland on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Westleigh, Trafton, Eugene, Lenora, Francis, Richard, Lawrence, Lydia, and Bethany, were

Rodney McAllister; and Mr. and Mrs. Irving Hale and family were Easter Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert McAllister.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Allen and grandson, David, were Sunday callers at Hugh Stearns' and at Harlan Bumpus'.

Mrs. Iva Keniston of Portland; Mrs. Richard Andrews of Randolph, N. H.; and Mrs. Kathryn Drown of Gorham, N. H.; called on Mrs. Bertha Andrews Sunday.

Mrs. Olive Spinney was a Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Poor of Oxford.

Ivan Kimball was a dinner guest at Hugh Stearns' one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl McAllister and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Breakfield spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Inman in celebration of Earl's birthday, April 1. Julie McAllister also celebrated her birthday during the week end.

SUNDAY RIVER

— Mrs. R. M. Fleet, Corres. —
Our community has been saddened by the death of Leslie Kendall, very suddenly last Wednesday, March 29.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Verrill returned to Concord, Mass., after spending the week end with his parents, the Floyd Verrills, and enjoying skiing at the Skiway.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Kendall, Jr., of Everett, Mass., are with his mother.

Robert Serafin's friends from Rumford were at his camp Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Spencer have moved from the Royal Reynolds place at Swan's Corner.

Clifton Jackson had a few days work with David Fleet at Songo Pond.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Verrill have visitors from Concord, Mass., for a few days.

Mrs. Jeannine Fleet and children, Mrs. Barbara Yates, and children, and Mrs. Julia Fleet were in Rumford, Thursday.

The spring thaw has stopped some of the men from working in the woods as Gerald Harrington has moved home his logging equipment.

Our Spring birds for this week are four robins, one song sparrow, one phoebe and several juncos.

The parents are invited to attend our birthday party following Sunday School, April 9.

guests Monday night of his mother, Mrs. Lura Westleigh.

Gloria Burris, June Blankinship and friend were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Burris.

There were 27 in attendance at West Bethel Sunday School Easter morning. Easter baskets were presented to the children after the worship service by the Sunday School.

Mary Jo Head will leave on Thursday to attend All State Music Festival at Madison. She auditioned on the clarinet for this last December in Rumford. A concert will be presented on Saturday. One other student from Gould Academy and their music instructor, James Owen, will attend.

Mrs. Mabel Lambert of Lewiston has come to West Bethel to make her home with her niece, Mrs. Ralph Coulombe, and family.

Easter guests of the Ralph Coulombes were Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Coulombe and family of Berlin, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Croteau and son of West Greenwood were visitors at Charles Hancock's, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Kendall were guests Easter Sunday of their son, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Kendall, and family, at Bethel.

Mrs. Maggie Lowell and Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Davis were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Lowell, and family, of Bethel.

Miss Lee Ann Grover and Miss Sara Stowell have returned to their studies at Burdette College, Boston, Mass.

WEST PARIS

Mrs. Roxie Inman, Corres.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Polvinen, 1376 Washington St., Norwood, Mass., formerly of West Paris, are parents of a daughter born March 28. Mrs. Robert Andrews is in Norwood caring for the other children during their mother's absence.

Miss Linda Andrews, South Paris, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Mack.

Mrs. Pearl Welch returned from several months visit with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Hartson Welch, Jr., Denver, Colo.

Mrs. Phyllis Young, R. N., and son, John, New York, are spending the week with her mother, Mrs. Pearl Welch.

Mrs. Ethel Pray and family, Mechanic Falls, were the week end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milford Herrick.

Vicki and Barry Millett spent several days last week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Millett, Lewiston.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Palmer, Jr., returned Wednesday after spending the past month in Florida.

Richard Hibler, Manchester, Conn., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hibler.

Week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Downing were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cummings and Miss Pat Perry, Manchester, Conn.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Inman (Janet Mason) South Paris, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, born Sunday at the Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway. Gilbert is staying with Mr. and Mrs. Milton Inman and Douglass is with Mr. and Mrs. Leigh Dean during their mother's hospitalization.

Lewis Proctor is on a vacation from his work with the C. N. Railroad. He spent the week end at camp in Andover.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Duplessis spent the Easter week end with her parents in Orono and his mother in Old Town.

Mrs. Henry Merrill, Reading, Pa., is visiting her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. William Slattery.

On Saturday, Mrs. Harold Perham and Mr. and Mrs. William Slattery attended a party

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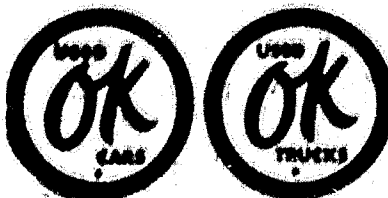
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give \$2.00 to help someone go. Baby Sitting Judging papers were returned. There were five with perfect records, they will receive ribbons, they are: Bonita Hazelton, Bonita Ellingwood, Pamela Olson, Patricia Todd, and Judy Lamb. Recreation for next Friday was planned. Club will have a supper meeting celebrating birthdays. After the business meeting Mrs. Ellingwood gave instructions on checking clothes for summer, putting them on a chart we may go by to get wardrobe ready for the coming months.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our appreciation to our relatives and friends for the beautiful flowers and many lovely cards; to our neighbors for their thoughtfulness; to the Greenleaf funeral home for their ready help and understanding; to Rev. Laws for his sympathy and beautiful tribute to our loved one.

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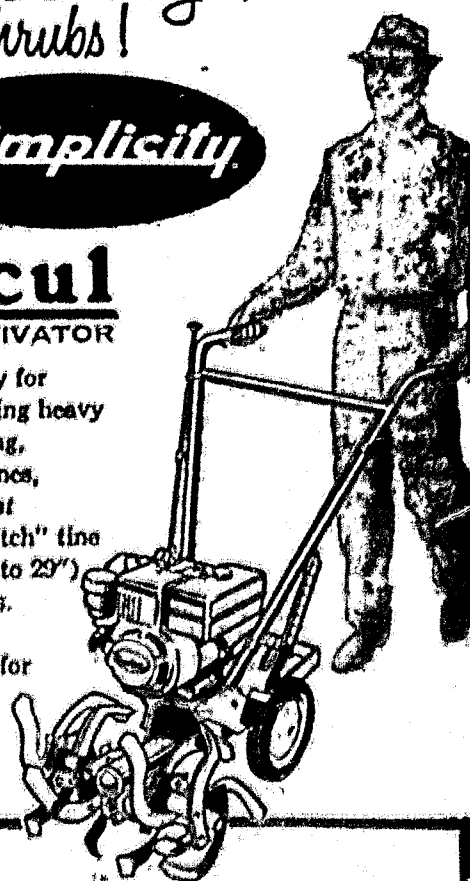
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CHURCH NEWS

Bethel Methodist Church
Richard M. Hamilton, Pastor
Friday, April 7:
7:00 p. m. Church Communion meetings.

8:00 p. m. Monthly meeting of the Official Board.
Saturday, April 8:
6:30 p. m. Couples' Club Meeting at Church Annex.

Sunday, April 9:
9:45 a. m. Church School.
11:00 a. m. Family Worship Hour and Nursery.

6:30 p. m. Intermediate and Senior MYF.
Wednesday, April 12:
7:30 p. m. Eleanor Gordon Guild meeting.

Thursday, April 13:
7:00 p. m. Choir Rehearsal.
West Parish
Congregational Church
Clifford W. Laws, Minister

Sunday, April 9:
Morning Worship, 11:00.
Church Nursery, 11:00.
Church School, 9:30.

Delegates of the Pilgrim Fellowship will attend an Executive Planning Meeting of the OGCYC at the 2nd Congregational Church in Norway at 2:30.

Instead of the regular scheduled meeting at 6:30, all members have been invited to a swimming party at Hebron Academy.

Wednesday, April 12:
This is the new date of the postponed Quarterly Meeting of the Women's Fellowship.

There will be a supper at 6:30 followed by the business meeting and program. All Fellowship members will bring their money boxes for the Women's Plus Gift.

The Church of the Open Bible
At the Universalist Church
Lorenda Freeman, Organist
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
Church service, 11:00 a. m.

Carl Mores of Kingfield will supply the pulpit this morning.

Midweek Bible study and prayer meeting Wednesday night at 8 o'clock at the home of James Cobb.

Catholic Services
The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be offered Sunday at 9:00 in the Bethel Community Room.

Christian Science
Those attending Christian Science services Sunday will hear a challenging call to overcome sin and sickness of every kind through wholly spiritual means.

Golden Text: "The kingdom of heaven is at hand. Heal the sick, cleanse the lepers, raise the dead, cast out devils: freely ye have received, freely give (Matthew 10)."

How Christian Science Heals: WGAN-Radio, 560 kc, 9:45 a. m. Solving Problems of Human Relations. Television: Chan. 5, Healing Through Accepting God's Goodness. Chan. 8, Seasonal Alliments Can Be Healed By Prayer. Chan. 13, A Practical Faith for Young People.

West Bethel Union Church
Joseph Bradley, Pastor
Mrs. Harriet Stowell, Organist
Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.

Mrs. Olive Head, Supt.
11 a. m. Worship Service.
Choir practice Saturday, 6:30 p. m.

Chapel Aid Society, 2nd and 4th Wednesdays at 7:30 p. m.
Locke Mills Union Church
Church Services, 9:30 a. m.

Joseph and Carlene Bradley, ministers. Mrs. Richard Melville, organist and choir director. Choir rehearsal every Wednesday at 6:30 p. m.

Sunday School, 10:45 a. m.
Richard Melville, superintendent. Mrs. Raymond Seamas, secretary and treasurer.

West Parish
Baptist Church
Ronald Sorels, Minister
Thursday, 7:30 p. m. Young People's Fellowship at the Church. All people, ages 20 to 40, married or single, are invited to attend. There will be an informal hour of Bible study.

Sunday, 9:00 a. m. Morning Worship service; 10:15, Sunday School; 7:30 p. m. Evening Worship service.

West Parish
First Universalist Church
Rev. Glenn McKee, Minister
Sunday, 9:30 a. m. Church School; 10:30, Worship Service.

Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes Class.

West Parish
Finnish Congregational Church
Rev. Felix Mayblom, Minister
Sunday, 9:15 a. m. Sunday School; 10 a. m. English Worship service; 11 a. m. Finnish Worship service.

The Go-Power Progress and Plans at Mt. Abram

By C. Bickford

Adventuring into the field of "owning one's own business" is not new for Norton, Stuart and Donald Cross of Bethel. These Brothers have had the getup and go-power since they were youngsters. About seven years ago they merged into the lumbering and wood cutting business taking over the controls shortly after the death of their father.

Over a period of years the Brothers Three have acquired woodland acreage and heavy equipment necessary for their type of business. Each of them have proved their ability not only for their good business sense of management but also with their know-how of the business end of handling power tools or the old fashion ox. Their success is due to greatly to the fact that they all share their burden of work and earnestly work together as a team overlooking minor or petty grievances which tend to hamper many who attempt to open a business. The Brothers are fortunate to have as wives, three ladies who not only are steadfast friends but work cordially together helping in any manner possible whatever undertaking the men attempt.

To have a ski area was a dream shared by the Brothers at an early age. Since all three have an "outdoor interest" in sports, mainly hunting and fishing, thoughts of skiing intrigued and interested them no end. None of them however had seriously entertained thoughts of a ski area until one day Norton and Donald had to snowshoes over Mt. Abram to some woodland they owned where a tractor was mired.

While climbing up the mountain side they took note of the prospects of it being an excellent site for several ski trails. At the summit they viewed the possibilities for the lift and lodge at the base of the mountain which would be located near the paved road with all

this in mind the Brothers Three set about acquiring the remaining part of the mountain necessary for their new enterprise and also acquired all ski areas in their free time to learn the pro's and con's of such a business. They sought advice from Lawyer Joe Margolin, Norway, and also from Ben Pike who is associated with the Maine Development Commission. They joined the Maine Ski Council and took First Aid Courses on Ski Patrolling.

However, thru the thick and tan of it the Cross Brothers took two of their lumbering crew plus themselves, cleared the area of wood, carefully grooming the slopes to use this first year not only freeing it of trees, underbrush and stumps but also placing at least 50 tons of hay on it for a base. Donald, the Treasurer and Secretary of the group, drew the plans for the Lodge locating it at the base of the mountain but with a view of the slopes and easy access to the parking lot and highway. The Lodge was made ample enough for cafeteria with picnic size tables and benches and fireplace upstairs, and with an area for a sport shop, Baby Sitting Room, First Aid Room, and Rest Room facilities along with the furnace and storage room in the basement. This was completed by the Cross Brothers, their wives, and crew just a few months prior to opening of the area.

Mrs. Gladys Cross—mother of the three brothers and better known as "Mom" Cross—certainly deserves great credit for standing by her sons in times of need. "Mom" Cross helps tend the cafeteria and baby sits in the Lodge, as well as being on hand to give advice when asked.

To make the area unique as well as a well-rounded family one for which Mt. Abram is known, Norton, Stuart and Donald decided to have both a skating rink and toboggan or sled run. To provide for these

SONGO POND

—Mrs. Ralph Kimball, Corres.—
Miss Ljona Keniston spent the long holiday week end at her home here.

Robert Lincoln of South Amboy, N. J., was a caller here during the week end.

Miss Bonnie Arenault of Norway is visiting this week with her aunt, Mrs. Earlon Keniston. Mark Bean spent the day there Tuesday.

Eric Stowe is recovering from his recent illness.

Miss Norma Kimball spent Saturday at Kingsfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Cymrot of Brooklyn, N. Y., were callers here Wednesday.

BETHEL BOWLING LEAGUE

Team	Points	Won	Lost
Central Alleys	24	8	2
Legion	22	2	8
Bennett's	7	25	2
Waterford I	6	26	2
Masons	5	19	8
Lions	16	8	8
Woodchoppers	16	8	8

Highs for the week:
High single, 134, Pete Baker.
High three, 338, Hugh Chapman.

did not require as much time and labor as has been the maintenance.

Servicing the Slopes this year is a 1,000 foot T-Bar Lift which was installed by the Cross Brothers with technical advice obtained from the agent selling the Lift. The Brothers are quite pleased that they decided on purchasing their Lift from the Hall Company for they have had no break-down since it began operating in December, and also the fact the public have expressed how easy it is to use.

An additional attraction for the area has been the Ski School under the able and talented Ken Lasseter, Ski Pro from Ontario, Canada. Lasseter is a member of the Canadian Ski Instructor Alliance and has proved his ability with his pupils while teaching a modified version of Austrian Method of Skiing. Next year plans are in the making for organizing a Ski and Outing Club which will benefit both the area and the public.

Encouraged by the fact that Mt. Abram was the second area to open first to the public this winter plus the fact it being their first year in the skiing business, and fortified by the success of the rest of the winter, the Cross Brothers definitely have plans for expansion.

The heavy growth for two new trails has already been removed and also the line for a new and larger T-Bar lift. The two new trails which will be a three-quarter of a mile expert trail and a mile long intermediate trail have to be groomed. From all reports the expert trail will definitely require expert skiing talent therefore offering great challenge.

The longer T-Bar when installed will not be an extension of the T-Bar now in operation but an entirely new and separate one extending from the base to the top of the mountain covering 3,350 feet. This will service the new trails, while the present 1,000 foot T-Bar will continue to service the novice area.

Improvements inside the Lodge will mainly be in the Sports Shop where more equipment is planned to be available for sale—also more rentals.

During the summer season beginning this year the Cross Brothers plan to use their facilities and area for tenting. Tenting, a new family sport, is fast becoming the means by which the average family can travel around the countryside at a minimum expense.

Bearing in mind that with expansion comes the increase in cost. However the public need not worry too much for the seasonal ticket rates will not be too drastically increased. Rates on the present T-Bar Lift will be the same as this year while the rates for the new T-Bar Lift will be comparable to other areas.

This entire expansion program outlined for Mt. Abram by the Brothers Three indeed proves their desire to prove that Maine people can adapt their rugged terrain and rugged weather to make it advantageous for all.

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DAYE - CRESCI

The marriage of Miss Agnes Cresci, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Eckel, Sr., Robertsville, N. J., to Parker W. Daye, Plainfield, N. J., son of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Daye, Bethel, took place Feb. 18 in the Bible Protestant Church in Robertsville.

The bride was escorted to the altar by her father. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Edwin Spencer. A reception followed at Steve's Main Brook.



Mr. and Mrs. Parker Daye

Inn. Mrs. Shirley Eckman was maid of honor for her sister. Donald Hadley served as best man. Ushers were Frank Eckman and Wilbur Byron.

After a reception of 225 guests, the couple left for a honeymoon in Maine. When they return, they will live in Englishtown, N. J.

The bride is employed at P. J. Schweitzer, Spotswood, N. J. The bridegroom is employed at the Contindale Construction Co. of New Brunswick, N. J.

GOULD ACADEMY

All State Concert

Madison, Maine, will be the scene for an all-state concert to be presented Saturday evening, April 8. Those participating will practice on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week. Two students from Gould Academy have qualified for the event by auditioning. They are: Mary-Jo Head (clarinet), all-state band; and James Bennett (trombone), all-state orchestra. James Owen will go with them to the three-day event.

Annual Sugarloaf Giant Slalom
The 11th Annual Sugarloaf Giant Slalom races took place Saturday and Sunday, April 1 and 2. With a field of over 300, it was necessary to run a two day event. The race was run on a half-mile, 30 gate course on the Narrow Gauge trail. A 10-inch snow fall Saturday night made ideal ski conditions for Sunday. Gould Academy students placed as follows:

Junior Girls—Class I:
1. Ann Ordway, Kittery, G 66.7
2. Sandra Bower, Auburn 67.3
3. Sandra Thaxter, Portland 68.7

Junior Boys—Class II:
1. Dennis Ostermaier, North Conway, N. H. 62.4
2. Steve Parent, Farmington, Gould 64.4
Rick Marco, Bath 64.4

Ski Trip
Saturday, April 8, a group of Gould Academy skiers will travel to Sugarloaf in Kingsfield for an overnight ski trip. This has been planned by the Academy Outing Club.

FHA Week
Future Homemakers of America in 10,000 chapters throughout the United States, Puerto Rico, and the Virgin Islands designate the week of April 9-15 as a time to recognize the contributions FHA makes to personal, family, and community living. Through their chapter and individual activities, the 500,000 members of this national organization for high school students studying homemaking work toward four objectives:

- * To develop potential abilities
- * To develop a better understanding of family members and to contribute to their well-being
- * To interpret the value of home economics as a basic part of total education
- * To promote good will through getting to know neighbors at home and abroad

During Monday morning assembly, Headmaster Mr. Vachon will proclaim FHA Week in keeping with the proclamation by the National Association. The activities of the FHA start by presenting a rose, our girls during FHA Week will

TODAY'S meditation

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Thursday, April 6

Read Matthew 28:1-8
Fear not ye: for I know that ye seek Jesus, which was crucified. He is not here: for he is risen, as he said. Come, see the place where the Lord lay. (Matthew 28:5,6)

During the dark days of World War I, Air Pilot Smith, now Bishop Angie Smith, heard Harry Lauder, the great singer of Scotland, when he sang to 1100 officers and men at a chapel service at a camp in Arkansas.

Before singing, Harry Lauder said: "Comrades, my son, my only child, was killed in battle two years ago. My heart was crushed. I said I would never sing again. I looked down the road to dissipation to kill my grief."

"Then I decided to travel a road that was to lead me up a hill. I found it a rough and rugged road, but I traveled it

to the end. There I found the grave of my son and a cross upon it. There my burden of sorrow was lifted, and I received new hope and the impulse to sing again.

"Now I can sing with more assurance than ever before, for I know that because the one who died on the cross of Calvary lives, my son also lives, and someday I shall see him again."

That is the Easter message. PRAYER: Our Father, we thank Thee for Thy redeeming love, which, through Thy Son who suffered, died, and rose from the dead, saves us from sin and death. In His name we pray. Amen.

Thought For The Day
The Easter fact gives hope to our hearts and meaning to our lives.

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COUNTRY FLAVOR

WOODLAND MESSAGE
Uncharted frontiers lie over the horizon; sources of unbelievable power are waiting. Tumult, greed and ruthlessness are rampant in the world. Where can a man find the verities that assure serenity along the trail of years?

Go to a peaceful woodland where great trees lift arms to the sky and branches wear a garland of green. Among the steadfast trees, a man can glimpse the faith that governs our flowering world.

A century or more ago a seed fell on good soil; a small white root struck downward; a slender green spike began climbing toward the sun and stars. Through the years the tree

grew in stature and strength. It has known the miracle of spring, the benediction of summer, the glory of autumn and the tempests of winter.

In a quiet woodland the perplexed heart can find reassurance. Arched branches and tall trunks remind one of cathedral aisles. There are still verities in our world; there is still abiding faith. Man creates complex systems to govern his social order; he discovers new principles of matter that open unknown vistas. That is part of man's instinctive, never-ceasing struggle for a better world.

But there come times in a man's life when he needs to pause in the midst of turmoil and to seek a sanctuary. In a quiet woodland one can re-establish contact with faith.

NORTH OXFORD MENTAL HEALTH ASSOCIATION TO BE FORMED MONDAY

Interested residents in the North Oxford County Area will gather Monday evening April 10 at the Rumford Mechanics Institute, at 7:30, to discuss the needs for, and the ways and means of, establishing a Mental Health Association for the North Oxford County Area.

Julian Israelson, of Rumford, will be temporary chairman of the meeting, which will hear information from residents from Dixfield, through Bethel as to the incidence, the need, and the methods to be used in establishing the Association.

Much concern over the establishment of community programs in the Mental Health field was evidenced by the recent hearings of the legislature. Among the points brought out were the concern of incoming industrial and government establishments with having such movements and programs in Mental Health going on in

National Flower, to our headmaster.

A program to be held before the Extension Group next week is being planned by several F. H. A. girls.

During the past few weeks, the Gould Future Homemakers of America Chapter has been making plans for observing this week. Displays portraying the purposes and activities of our organization and the values of home making will be in the Gould, Crescent Park, and town libraries, Gould study hall, Brown's Variety Store and the Home Economic Cottage to acquaint others with F.H.A.

During this week, girls from the chapter will be on call to do any "free work," such as babysitting, light housework or any other errands you would like done. So call Vandyke 4-2401 if you have some service you would like done or if you know of something the F.H.A. girls could do for someone free of charge!

DRIVERS—DEVOTE YOUR ATTENTION TO DRIVING

"We all hope that the long, hard winter is behind us," the Maine Highway Safety Committee observed today. "With the arrival of spring, warmer weather, and Daylight Saving Time, more and more motorists will be on the road during early evening hours from now on."

The safety committee pointed out that drivers will have a natural tendency to relax and to enjoy the scenery on these evening trips, and they issued a warning about inattention behind the wheel.

"A split second spent admiring the beauty of the Maine countryside could spell disaster for a driver," the committee added. "Today's traffic demands constant concentration on the part of every driver."

"Any driver who wishes to gaze at the scenery will do well to find a safe parking spot—well off the highway," continued the committee. "His enjoyment of the scene will be increased by the realization that he is in no way contributing to a possible motor vehicle accident."

"There is a natural tendency to relax our vigilance, now that better weather has arrived," concluded the committee. "We must be conscious of this tendency and we must make certain that we do not allow it to lead us into trouble on the highway."

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MRS. GUNTHER AT STORK SHOW Mrs. Howard F. guest of honor at a Wednesday evening home of her sister, Merrill. Miss K planned the event.

Refreshments decorated shower and decorated by M. brownies, sandwiches, cakes and coffee.

The group part games. Guests attending Mrs. Frances G. Kate Scott, Mrs. J. ther, Mrs. Arlene I. Howard Lapham, Wood, Mrs. Shirley George Olson, Mrs. ahue, Mrs. Joy Doonah Stevens, Linda of Olson, Darlene Merrill, Mrs. Jor Mrs. Pat Saunders, Landry, Mrs. Rose

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MRS. GUNTHER HONORED AT STORK SHOWER.

Mrs. Howard F. Gunther was guest of honor at a stork shower Wednesday evening at the home of her sister, Mrs. Charles Merrill. Miss Kay Landry planned the event.

Refreshments included a decorated shower cake made and decorated by Miss Landry, brownies, sandwiches, cup cakes and coffee.

The group participated in games.

Guests attending included Mrs. Frances Gunther, Mrs. Kate Scott, Mrs. Jackie Gunther, Mrs. Arlene Lowell, Mrs. Howard Lapham, Mrs. Janette Wood, Mrs. Shirley Olson, Mrs. George Olson, Mrs. Viola Donahue, Mrs. Joy Dooen, Mrs. Sarah Stevens, Linda Olson, Carol Olson, Darlene and Judy Merrill, Mrs. Jorgen Olson, Mrs. Pat Saunders, Miss Kay Landry, Mrs. Rose Bartlett.

Sending gifts but unable to attend were Mrs. Pauline Chapin, Mrs. Pat Carter, Mrs. Phyllis Blake, Mrs. Barbara Sweetser, Mrs. Jane Young, Mrs. Matilda Irvine, George and Kelly Olson.

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ADDITIONAL FHA FUNDS AVAILABLE FOR FARMERS

Additional funds have been made available to help meet the needs of eligible farmers who need operating money to carry out their farming operations. Elwyn R. Morrow, county supervisor for the Farmers Home Administration announced.

Mr. Morrow said that a \$35,000,000 contingency fund provided by the 1961 Agricultural Appropriations Act has just been released to the Farmers Home Administration to meet the growing demand for credit.

This move was taken by the U. S. Department of Agriculture, Mr. Morrow said, in an effort to make certain, within the authorities and funds available, that no qualified family-type farmer will be required to give up farming because of his inability to finance his 1961 operations.

Because of high operating costs and unfavorable margins of profits many farmers have exhausted their regular sources of farm operating credit. The amount of operating loans made so far this year by the Farmers Home Administration totals 20 percent higher than last year. The credit Agency's biggest lending season lies just ahead as farmers prepare to start their spring work.

Most of the applications so far this year are for loans to buy feed, machinery, poultry, cattle, fertilizer, and building repairs. Some applications have also been received for refinancing farm debts.

The Farmers Home Administration makes operating loans primarily to help eligible farm families make improved use of their land and labor resources on family-type farms and make needed changes in their farming systems. Most of the changes call for adopting better farming practices and improving the efficiency of their farming operations. Loans may also be made to qualified farmers who carry on smaller than family-type operations.

Weekly Stock Market Round-Up

Prepared by the Investment Research Department of
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Good Values In Textile Stocks

Frequently the best time to buy certain groups is when they are most unpopular. The writer feels that perhaps we have reached the point where the unpopular textile stocks are worth a review. Many of these are selling considerably below their highs of the past couple of years. In many cases yields offered are 5% or greater and the stocks are selling around 10 times 1960 earnings, quite a bargain in this high flying stock market.

Admittedly the textile business has been deteriorating for the past year and there is some question whether 1961 results will measure up to those of 1960 but there are indications that the textile industry will turn the corner in 1961. It may be safe to assume that the worst for the industry has been discounted in the price of these stocks.

Probably the investor will be on much safer ground if he purchases textile stocks with the objective of income rather than capital gains. For what he may sacrifice in capital gains potential could be offset by the degree of security in holding a sound value in the event

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4-H CLUB NEWS

4-H News: The Bethel Bluebirds met at their leader's home April 3. The meeting was led by our Vice President, Sylvia Kimball. We talked some about our 4-H Dress Revue which will be held April 28. Refreshments were served by Catherine Felt.

Club Reporter, Darlene Merrill.

Twelve members of the Spoon and Hoe 4-H Club met on April 1. Our leader spoke to us about Style Dress Revue. After the business meeting we had refreshments and an Easter Egg hunt. At the next meeting Clayton and Cynthia will bring refreshments, and Chris and Anita will furnish entertainment. Nancy L. Brown, Reporter.

The Early Risers 4-H held a meeting at Lyndell Carter's April 3, 1961. We elected David Carter as our new Treasurer and Stevie Carter as our new Flag Bearer. After the meeting we had a birthday party for David Carter. John Thurston's mother visited our meeting. Refreshments were served. Club Reporter, Dennis Jackson.

The Busy Beavers 4-H Club met at the home of their leader, Helen Hillier, on April 3. We pulled off air spills to be used in the fir bags which the Extension Group is making. We talked about having a Mother's Day Tea on May 15. We are going to entertain the mothers this year. The committees appointed are: Invitations, Harriet Hillier; Food, Patty Saunders; Mary Hillier, Martha Laws; Clean-up, Vicky Robertson; Nancy Young, Rachel Keniston; Favors, Becky Keniston; Maryvonne Rolfe, Danna Brown; Entertainment, Vivian Brown. Everyone is to bring all report sheets to the meeting next week. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Hillier. Maryvonne Rolfe and Vivian Brown will serve refreshments next week. Club Reporter, Harriet Hillier.

CUB SCOUTS

Den No. 2 met at the home of their Den Mother, Mrs. John Trivard. There were four present. We finished our train project and started working on rockets and took them out to see if they would fly. We had refreshments of peanut butter and crackers with grape juice. Our next meeting is April 11. Kenneth Davis, Keeper of the Buckskin.

Den 1 met at the house of the leader. We made parachutes. Then we went out and flew them and they worked. We had refreshments. Then we played two hand touch football. Keeper of the Buckskin, Richard Waldron, Jr.

Den No. 5 met Tuesday afternoon. Bruce Smith was chosen Keeper of the Buckskin and David Keniston, Denner. We made rockets and played games. Bruce Smith brought refreshments. Keeper of the Buckskin, Bruce Smith.

ing systems. Most of the changes call for adopting better farming practices and improving the efficiency of their farming operations. Loans may also be made to qualified farmers who carry on smaller than family-type operations.

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NEWRY

Mrs. George Learned, Cor. - Recent callers at George Learned's were: Carlton Campbell and Douglas Masters of Canton; Leroy Thurston and Bessie Learned, Rumford; Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Pugliese and family, South Portland.

Marjorie Morton is home for a week's vacation from F. S. T. C., Farmington.

Sam Smith called recently at the home of Harry Powers.

Mr. and Mrs. L'roy Learned were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Davis, Sunday.

The Circle meeting will be Monday evening, April 10.

Mrs. Ida Powers has been selected chairman for the Cancer Drive for Newry. Mrs. Sue Wight will assist her.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Morton Jr. were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Post, Saturday.

George Learned returned to his work at Andover for the summer, Saturday.

Randy Brooke was given a birthday party at his home Sunday in honor of his seventh birthday. Games were played and refreshments of cake and maple sugar on snow were served. The cake was made by his mother and decorated with Easter eggs and bunnies. Present besides the guest of honor were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Wight, Susan Brooke, Mathew, Thomas and Scott Wight, Mrs. Ethelyn Wight, Lonnie, Philip, Paula, Cheryl, Gary and Mark Wight.

Mrs. Alberta Lane is a patient at the St. Louis Hospital, Berlin, N. H.

The Newry Extension meeting will be in the evening, April 13.

GIRL SCOUTS

Brownie Scouts met in the lunchroom at the Primary School on Tuesday, April 4. We finished our pillows, which were shaped like black cats' heads and had red iron-on patches for eyes, noses, and mouths. Games and refreshments were then enjoyed. During the week, we are to make a list of the birds we see and next week we are going to go on a hike. - Susan Hutchins, Reporter.

ril 13. Subject, "Family Life Effect of Change," at Ida Wight's, conducted by the H. D. A.

A special Town meeting will be held Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock, April 12, for the purpose of electing a selectman to fill Mr. Kendall's place.

Mrs. Nellie Cummings, Bethel, has been visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Albert Morton, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Bennett and family, Peru, N. Y., are visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Post, Jericho, Vt., are at their camp on Wight Brook.

Roger Hanscom, Arthur Gauthier, Selma Chapman, and Ida Powers on Bear River attended the funeral of Leslie Kendall, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wight and Carrie Wight are visiting this week with Mr. and Mrs. Willard Wight, Old Town. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wight will attend Farm and Home Week at Orono while there.

Mrs. Ruth Mains went to Raymond over the week end.

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SELF-EMPLOYMENT TAX FOR FARMERS

Most farmers must pay a Federal self-employment tax for 1960, Whitney L. Wheeler, District Director of Internal Revenue for Augusta District, reminded them today.

He said the rate of self-employment tax for taxable years beginning in 1960 is 4 1/2 percent, and is in addition to any income tax payable.

Under the Federal Social Security law, Mr. Wheeler said, Social Security taxes are paid by employees and their employers, and self-employment tax must be paid by persons who are self-employed. These taxes are used to pay old-age, survivors and disability benefits under the Federal Social Security program, he said.

Mr. Wheeler explained a self-employed person is one who operates his own business, and that a farmer who operates a farm, either on his own land or land rented from someone else, is therefore considered self-employed. This is true, he said, even though he may employ someone else to do the farm work and does not live on the farm himself.

Mr. Wheeler reminded farmers they must file Federal income tax returns and pay any self-employment tax due, even though they owe no income tax.

Ordinarily, he added, no self-employment tax is due unless net earnings from self-employment amount to \$400 or more for the year.

However, he continued, farmers who have actual net earnings from the operation of their farms of less than \$400 may, under certain circumstances, elect to pay the self-employment tax and may qualify to receive benefit under the Social Security system.

WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP

The Women's Fellowship will meet Wednesday evening, April 12, at 6:30. A pot-luck supper will be served by the members of Circle 5. Each member is requested to bring her own place setting. The evening's program will include dedication services for both the "Women's Gift Boxes" and the "Friendly Service Quota."

A Senator tells us the average American is not tax conscious yet, and this is doubtless so. If he shows any sign of coming to, he is struck by another.

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INSTALLATION AT BRYANT POND — In an impressive ceremony, the following officers of Jefferson Chapter, OES, Bryant Pond, were installed Friday evening. Front row, left to right, Frank Bean, associate patron; Sylvia Evans, associate matron; Miriam McAllister, worthy matron; Elden Hathaway, worthy patron; Second row: Merle Ring, Chaplain; Kathleen McAllister, marshal; Ruby Ring, warder; Gertrude Andrews, associate conductress; Frances Farnum, treasurer; Addelynn Mann, secretary; Kenneth McInnis, sentinel. Third row, Gertrude Gaugler, Ruth; Alice McInnis, Ada; Gladys Bickford, Esther; Elizabeth Whitman, Martha; Barbara Hathaway, Electa; and Juanita Allen, organist.

BRYANT POND

Mrs. Juanita B. Allen, Correspondent

On Tuesday, March 28, the PTA met at the Central School and the meeting was conducted by Vice President Gertrude Gaugler in the absence of the President, Ernest Packard. Mrs. Gaugler turned the meeting over to Mrs. Rena Howe, who introduced the speakers from the grades who were chosen to speak at the PTA meeting. The youngsters did a fine job and it was a most interesting program. The speakers were: Paula Howe, Philip House, David Howe, Louise Billings, Diane Farrar, Rayann Burnham, Andrea Swan, Brenda Wing, Donald York and Patricia McInnis. The program preceded the business meeting. A piano was presented for use of the Sub Primary and 1st Grade by Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Morgan.

Refreshments were served by the following committee: Margaret Berryment, Isabelle Jacobs, Bessie House, Vivian Torres, and Beverly Packard. Mrs. Gaugler appointed the following refreshment committee for the next meeting: Mrs. June Seames, Mrs. Florence Redding, Mrs. Barbara Whitman and Elaine Laguerre. Also the following on the nominating committee: Wendell Twitchell, chairman; Elaine Packard, and Lettie Brooks. The next meeting will be Thursday, April 27th, when Mr. Halla, Past President of the State PTA, will speak.

Miss Kathy Twitchell spent a week's vacation from her studies at Gould Academy visiting with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Royden Billings, in Milford.

Mrs. Carl Dudley returned to her home Saturday from the CMG hospital where she has been a patient.

PROBATE APPOINTMENTS

The following subscribers hereby give notice that they have received the appointments as indicated from the Probate Court of Oxford County. All persons having demands against the estates represented by them are requested to present the same for settlement and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

Lewis O. Verrill, late of Bethel, deceased, Frances E. Verrill of Bethel, Administratrix without bond March 21, 1961.

Lealle E. Davis, late of Bethel, deceased, Richard L. Davis of Bethel, Executor without bond March 21, 1961.

Ernest A. Van Den Herckhoven, late of Bethel, deceased, Jane H. Van Den Herckhoven of Bethel, Executrix without bond March 21, 1961.

18-10

Mrs. Charles Howe is a surgical patient at the Rumford Community Hospital. Miss Kathy Mills is assisting with the care of the children while Mrs. Howe is hospitalized.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Mills are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, named Nathan Haskell, born March 29.

Mrs. Ernest Packard was a recent patient at the Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway, for minor surgery on her leg. She is now at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lasseter left Thursday for Huntsville, Ontario. While they are in Canada their two year old son, Craig, will undergo surgery. Mrs. Lasseter will visit with her parents before returning to the States.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard L. Surrett of Kennabunkport were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. Parker Allen.

Michael Hathaway is spending a week's vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elden Hathaway.

Lyman Wing, Jr., has returned from Orlando, Fla. He plans to find employment in this vicinity.

Larry Burnham, Charles McAllister, Roger Twitchell and two other students, names unknown, were in an accident on the way to Augusta last week. The car overturned but no one was hurt.

Last Wednesday night the Fellowship Club of the Universalist Church held a supper and regular meeting in the church basement. This was the first supper to be held there since the new kitchen was completed. There were 26 in attendance. The next supper and meeting will be held Wednesday, April 27, and the committee for next

time are: Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Jordan and Mr. and Mrs. M. Parker Allen. There will be a silent auction to help raise funds for the purchase of a new coffee dripulator. Ruth Tyler has charge of entertainment.

Kenneth Lasseter won first prize last Friday night at the Poverty Ball as a Beatnik. This was held at the William Bingham Gym in Bethel.

Miss Kathy Mills was a Sunday dinner guest of Jack Allen at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Parker Allen on Easter Sunday.

The Junior Choir of the Bryant Pond Universalist Church participated in the Easter Concert last Sunday evening at the Deering Memorial Methodist Church, South Paris. Those attending the concert locally were: Mrs. H. Stanley Andrews, Mrs. Elsie Cole, Mrs. Edith Abbott, Mrs. Stanley Morgan, Mrs. Samuel Redman, Mrs. M. Parker Allen, Mrs. John Gaugler, Jr., and Linda Gaugler. Mrs. Addelynn Mann was accompanist for the choir.

The officers of Jefferson Chapter No. 89, OES, were installed at a semi-public meeting held Friday evening, March 31. The installation was preceded by a roast turkey banquet in charge of Mrs. Raynor Littlefield assisted by other members of the chapter. The tables were prettily decorated in the Easter motif with baskets and favors. Following the opening march, the outgoing Matron, Kathleen McAllister thanked her officers and substitute officers for their fine cooperation received during her reign in the East, and members of the chapter for helping make her year a successful one. Installing Matron, District Deputy Helen Morton of Bethel was introduced and given the grand honors and she in turn introduced her installing officers: Herbert Morton, Jr., installing patron, Lella Meserve, marshal, Jeannette Swett, chaplain, Monitor Chapter, Dixfield, Lillian Smith, organist

and Elizabeth Perry, soloist, from Buckfield. The following officers were duly installed in a most impressive manner: worthy Matron, Miriam McAllister; worthy patron, Elden Hathaway; associate matron, Sylvia Evans; associate patron, Frank Bean; secretary, Addelynn Mann; treasurer, Frances Farnum; Chaplain, Merle Ring; marshal, Kathleen McAllister; organist, Juanita Allen; conductress, Alice Hoyt; associate conductress, Gertrude Andrews; Ada, Alice McInnis; Ruth, Gertrude Gaugler; Esther, Gladys Bickford; Martha, Elizabeth Whitman; Electa, Barbara Hathaway; warder, Ruby Ring; sentinel, Kenneth McInnis.

Following the installation the worthy matron, Miriam McAllister, was presented with a beautiful bouquet of red roses by Mary Ellen Andrews, which was a gift from her husband, Seymour, and also a gift from her mother, Gertrude Davis, presented by Bethany Andrews. The new worthy matron and patron presented the junior past patron, Kathleen McAllister, and Junior past patron, Russell McAllister with their past officers' jewels. Gifts were presented to the installing officers who expressed their thanks for their enjoyable evening. The new worthy matron announced that there will be a rehearsal on Tuesday evening, April 11th, at 7:30.

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SOUTH WOOL

— Mrs. Olive I. Jamie Kennis after serving training with Guard. He has in Oklahoma. Spring has arrived and third grade baseball again.

Mr. and Mrs. draws are celebrating 50th wedding day, April 9, at Open house, will friends may visit home at that time.

Lorraine Day with the flu and school for next week for a day. Some of the pupils have been flu.

The robins are singing. The snow has melted. The robins are singing. The snow has melted. The robins are singing. The snow has melted.

LEAVE THE FOR GREENE

Magazine Result From Fertilizing. Good lawn greener, healthiest in large lawn alone, ing spring and according to the Kiplinger.

A copyright current issue of notes that most are caused by thrive on grass fast and become therefore wear thrive also in atmosphere. "V is heavily fed spring and force and lush, just the weather war becomes hum makes its great magazine states.

The editors disease seldom whole lawn over does make a millions of lawns helped by two First, most people ease for drought quent fertilizing which you might strengthen the makes it susceptible when done at t of year."

STATE OF To all persons in of the Estates he At a Probate Court, in and for the ford, on the two March in the y one thousand six sixty-one, from d the twenty-first d The following ma presented for the hereinafter indica Ordered:

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SOUTH WOODSTOCK

Mrs. Olive Davis, Corres. — Jamie Kennison arrived home after serving six months in training with the National Guard. He has been stationed in Oklahoma.

Spring has arrived. The sixth and third grades are playing baseball again.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Andrews are celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary Sunday, April 9, from 2 to 6 p. m. Open house will be held so their friends may visit them at their home at that time.

Lorraine Davis has been ill with the flu and has been out of school for nearly a week.

Betty Gaugler and Francina Herick also missed school this week for a day or two. Also some of the pupils in the sixth grade have been having the flu.

The robins arrived April 1. The snow falling Saturday night must have been hard on them. The red wing blackbird was here the first of the week.

LEAVE THE LAWN ALONE FOR GREENER GRASS

Magazine Reports Diseases Result From Over-Fertilizing, Excess Water. Good lawn management, for greener, healthier grass, consists in large part of leaving the lawn alone, especially during spring and summer months, according to Changing Times, the Kiplinger Magazine.

A copyrighted article in the current issue of the magazine notes that most lawn diseases are caused by fungi which thrive on grass that has grown fast and become succulent and therefore weak, and which thrive also in a warm humid atmosphere. "When the grass is heavily fertilized in the spring and forced to grow fast and lush, just at a time when the weather warms and the air becomes humid, then disease makes its greatest inroad," the magazine states.

The editors point out that disease seldom wipes out a whole lawn overnight, "but it does make a mess out of millions of lawns every year. It is helped by two human errors. First, most people mistake disease for drought. Second, frequent fertilizing and watering, which you might expect would strengthen the grass, actually makes it susceptible to disease when done at the wrong time of year."

STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named: At a Probate Court held at Paris, in and for the County of Oxford, on the twenty-first day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixty-one, from day to day of the twenty-first day of said March. The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby Ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Bethel Citizen a newspaper published at Bethel in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Paris, on the eighteenth day of April A. D. 1961, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Henry W. Boyker, late of Bethel, deceased; Will and Petition for Probate thereof and the appointment of Gertrude B. Boyker as Executrix of the same, to act without bond as expressed in said Will. Presented by Gertrude B. Boyker, the Executrix therein named.

Marie H. Davis, late of Bethel, deceased; First Account presented for allowance by Richard L. Davis, Executor of the Estate of Leslie E. Davis, deceased, who was the Executor of the Estate of Marie H. Davis.

Marie H. Davis, late of Bethel, deceased; Petition for the appointment of Richard L. Davis or some other suitable person as Administrator with the Will Annexed of the Estate not already administered of said deceased, without bond, presented by Richard L. Davis, Son.

Witness, Robert T. Smith Judge of said Court at Paris, this twenty-first day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixty-one.

19-15 PAUL L. NEVENS, Register

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LOCKE MILLS

Mrs. Dwight Martin, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Melville and children, Dana and Nancy, spent Easter Sunday as guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Lurvey, at their home in Westbrook.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Packard and family on Easter Sunday included: Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Packard and family of Bryant Pond.

The Jackson Silver Post No. 68 A. L. and Unit will hold a regular meeting Thursday evening at 7:30 at the Legion Hall.

The Greenwood Parent Teachers Group will sponsor a food sale Friday noon at 12:00 P. M. at Leach's Market. Mrs. Fred Haines will be serving as chairman assisted by Mrs. Maynard Hazen, Mrs. Oscar Johnson and Mrs. Dwight Martin.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Everett DeNormandie of Greenwood Center last week included: Agda Johnson, Dedham, Mass., Rose Schone, Rosendale, Mass., and Louise Haasis, El Monte, California. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Churchill and Mrs. Nellie Martin entertained Mr. and Mrs. Joseph

Quoting experts from the U. S. Agricultural Research Service at Beltsville, Md., the editors give the following program for spring lawn care:

(1) A light application of fertilizer. It might take the form of an organic or a slow-releasing fertilizer that would not give the grass such a sudden shot in the arm as heavier fertilizing, which should be reserved until fall.

(2) The cool-weather grasses are strengthened by mowing them tall—at a height of around two inches. Cutting them shorter removes too much of the leaf and shocks and weakens the plants.

(3) To prevent the high humidity that promotes fungus growth, avoid light, frequent sprinklings, especially in the evening when the sun is not out to dry the air. Actually, it is best not to water at all except in the case of severe drying. Most lawns on average soil will go for three or four weeks without rain. When the critical times comes the grass will acquire a bluish cast and footprints will persist as the leaves fail to spring back. At this point one heavy soaking is advisable.

(4) The lawn should be kept clean and free of heavy clippings. These, lying thick on top of the blades, trap warm, moist air beneath and form a hot-house for fungi.

The advice is good, the editors conclude, "first, because it comes from experts, and second, because it's probably the only instance on record where the homeowner can improve things by taking it easy."

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends for the gifts, cards, food and flowers, sent to Mildred during her illness. Also for flowers and kind notes expressing sympathy. We wish to thank the doctors and nurses who gave her such excellent care.

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MAGALLOWAY

Mrs. Bessie Harvey, Corres.

The Easter service Sunday morning at the Magalloway Church was very well attended and very lovely. Mrs. Beatrice Littlehale conducted the service and Mrs. Florence Adams was the organist.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kenney with their three daughters and children are living with Mr. and Mrs. Almon Coolidge for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. Winslow Linnell who recently returned from France and Italy have gone to New York for a short stay.

Mrs. Mabel Linnell who stayed at the Winslow Linnell home during their trip to Europe is visiting in Bangor and plans to go to Florida before returning to her home in Errol.

Mrs. Bertha West spent the week end in Milan at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Florence Balsar. Her son, Stanley West, was expected home for a few days from Fort Dix, N. J.

Mrs. Alice Cameron who is a fraternity house mother at the University of Maine is spending her Easter vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Bennett of Wilson's Mills.

Alfred Hart is getting a little better.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Linnell Jr. with their four children spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Hibbard of Colebrook. Mrs. Hibbard is their eldest daughter.

The Ladies Aid Group met at the home of Mrs. Alice Harvey Thursday. The project was making tulips.

Carl Brown of Bethel visited friends in this vicinity recently.

Elmer Bean Jr. who works for Brooks Bros. of Bethel was in town Wednesday delivering

Newry Thursday, March 30.

About 8 inches of snow fell Saturday afternoon and night, necessitating road breaking Sunday morning. Temperature was warm.

Fred S. Judkins attended the annual Fireman's meeting at Bethel Tuesday evening, April 4.

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Mrs. David Foster, Corres.

Robert Curtis has gone to Casco to work.

Mr. and Mrs. Erlon Bean and children are living with Mr. and Mrs. Almon Coolidge for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip DesRoches and William Powers paid their respects Sunday to Leslie Kendall who died recently. On the way home they visited Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Roberts and Joel Merrill.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hastings are being congratulated on the birth of a 10 pound, 4 ounce, boy on April 2 in Portland. They have named him Jeffrey.

Mrs. George Gamble and children left for their home in

gas. Everyone was greatly pleased to hear that his small son who was so terribly injured recently is improving.

An error was made in the item in last week's news concerning the Wilson's Mills school trip to Auburn. Greydon Campbell of Errol did not go owing to illness and Mrs. Dorothy Brinck of Wilson's Mills went. Sorry.

A three day snow storm is still in progress with high winds, about six inches of snow have come. Snowplows are busy.

Philadelphia Sunday after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hastings for a week.

Robert Swett of Hartford, Conn., was a week end visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hastings.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Howe visited Mr. and Mrs. Donald Stanley in South Portland, Sunday.

Miss Annie Downs, aunt of Mrs. Phillip DesRoches, died April 2 at Bar Mills nursing home after a long illness. She lived in Locke Mills many years ago.

Mrs. Lewis Smith, Sr., and Mrs. Marie Harrington of Bryant Pond visited Mrs. Elwin Billings in West Paris last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stearns and children, Danny and Linda Robin, of Rumford Corner were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Foster.

There will be a meeting of Alder River Grange No. 145 on Friday April 7. This will be Literary Night.

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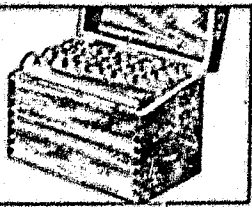


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10 YEARS AGO

Work was started on the new flour mill of Wilner Wood Products Co. at Norway, replacing the mill destroyed by an explosion the month before in which four men lost their lives.

Pfc. Herbert E. Dunham of Locke Mills was wounded in Korea.

Roads were flooded after two days heavy rainfall.

Slueth, the four year old bloodhound, owned by Constable Roderick McMillin and Deputy Sheriff Albert Grover of Bethel, was sold to Sheriff Arthur Jenson of Keene, N. H.

Deaths: Fred P. Watson, Eugene B. Davis, Harry B. Hazling, Austin N. Jodrey, Mrs. Florence E. Abbott, Mrs. Mary Hobbs, Robert G. Bennett.

20 YEARS AGO

Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Brown celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary.

Forty-four contracts for service by Central Maine Power Co. were secured on Bear and Sunday Rivers and the Bethel and Hanover roads.

Deaths: Frank E. Purrington, Mrs. Bernice Spearrin.

30 YEARS AGO

The home of Miss Carrie Plummer at Waterford burned. The Misses Frances King and Catherine Lyon of the Gould Academy debating team were voted best speakers in a debate at South Paris.

Working with day and night crews, 2500 cords of birch were sawed during the winter at the Bethel mills of N. S. Stowell & Co.

40 YEARS AGO

Sudbury Lodge, No. 22, Knights of Pythias, was instituted at Bethel with 41 charter members.

Bonello Davis of Locke Mills had a rock maple which yielded 112 quarters of sap in 16 hours.

Mr. and Mrs. William Gorman celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary.

The new ferry boat at Rumford Point was completed and in the river about three weeks earlier than the year before.

Clarence M. Bennett had a crew working on his garage at West Bethel.

A Van Den Kerckhoven purchased a lot of J. M. Philbrook at the rear of the brick schoolhouse.

Howard Bailey purchased the Stowell place in Bethel.

Deaths: Dr. John H. Cole, George A. Grover.

50 YEARS AGO

Over 200 attended the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Jarvis C. Billings.

Gould Academy's laboratory fund totaled \$615.

Teachers in Bethel for the spring term were: village, Mr.

Herrick, Miss Twaddle, Miss Stearns, Miss Richardson; East, Miss Glines; West, Miss Wilson; North, Miss Hapgood; South, Miss Cross; Northwest, Miss Brown; Middle Intervale, Miss Russell; Flat, Miss Shaw.

Deaths: Mrs. C. M. Cushman, Emery G. Young, Mrs. Elizabeth Knight, Mrs. Clara Jane Grover, Eli W. Barker, Goodwin R. Wiley.

60 YEARS AGO

Harry Staples of Hanover suffered a serious wound in his throat when he fell on a sled stake. Eight stitches were needed to close the wound.

New students at Gould Academy were: Alice Wight, Ordell Bryant, Celia Estes, Sadie Flint, Arthur Andrews, Roscoe Andrews, Rogelio Bonau. Heavy loads were still crossing the Androscoggin on the ice.

At a special meeting of the Bethel Village Corporation it was voted to purchase for \$900 the Hapgood store for a hose house for Hose Company No. 1. Maple sugar production was very small.

Roads were in very poor condition following heavy rains.

TORCH LIGHT SKI-RADE SATURDAY NIGHT

The Sunday River Ski Club will sponsor its annual baked bean supper this Saturday night at the Ski Lodge. The feature of the evening will be a repeat performance of the beautiful torch-light ski-ride down the Cascades trail shortly after dark. For everyone who missed the last one, this will be the last chance this year to view a most spectacular event, seldom seen in this country. A dozen or so expert skiers under the direction of Ski-Meister Nils Torjesen slowly traverse the slope from top to bottom carrying brilliant red flares. The entire landscape is lighted in an eerie red glow. A truly magnificent sight.

The evening will start with a social hour commencing at 6:30. Directly after the ski-ride will be the beans—wonderful beans prepared by Hershel Glines as only he can. You can have all the beans, rolls, coffee, cole slaw and apple pie that you can eat. Dancing will follow. Everyone is welcome—come up and enjoy yourselves.

BORN

In Rumford, March 30, to Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Walker of West Bethel, a daughter, Rebecca Gale.

In Portland, April 2, to Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hastings of East Bethel, a son, Jeffrey.

In Boston, April 2, to Mr. and Mrs. David Carignan (Rachel Kneeland), a son, Timothy.

MARRIED

In Gorham, N. H., March 15, Mahlon Thurston of Gorham, N. H., and Miss Joan Ruth Heath of Bethel.

DIED

In Bethel, April 2, Mrs. Mildred Bosserman Brown, aged 67 years.

In Hollis, April 2, Miss Annie S. Downs, native of Greenwood, aged 57 years.

In Bethel April 4, Mrs. Ruth King Carter, aged 75 years.

In Bryant Pond, April 5, Mrs. Edith B. Hathaway, aged 62 years.

In Hampton, N. H., April 5, Ralph L. Hunt, formerly of Hebron, aged 89 years.

In North Waterford, April 5, Roland F. Littlefield, aged 87 years.

A ball and a glove are standard equipment for thousands of Maine youngsters as they strike out for school each day. The State Police remind all youngsters that smart kids—kids who are really on the ball—don't play ball in the street.



CROCKETT'S GARAGE, Church Street, Bethel, which closed this week after 42 years of service to the community. Built by Ray Crockett in 1919, this shop has been noted for its outstanding repair and maintenance work on motor vehicles and mechanical and electrical appliances. During the years Mr. Crockett was the first in the area to service radio and television sets. In recent years his son, Clayton, has been associated with him. The garage building was bought in January by Gould Academy.

Cite Farmers-Homemakers at Orono

Four of Maine rural leaders were named Outstanding Farmers and Homemakers at Orono Tuesday night. The University of Maine cited Robert W. Cole, of Biddeford; Owen H. Smith, of Presque Isle; Mrs. Bernice D. Giggie, of Monroeville; and Mrs. Louise F. Lewis, of Pittsfield.

University President Lloyd H. Elliott presented the certificates as a feature of the annual Farm and Home Week. Speakers included Governor John H. Reed; Henry L. Ahlgren, associate director of the Extension Service, University of Wisconsin; and Seavey A. Piper, Troy dairyman and past president of the Maine Extension Association.

The Goodwin's Mills Bell-ringers provided music. H. Earl Megquier, of Gray, president of the Maine Extension Association presided.

Cole was cited "as a superior dairyman and civic leader who has given generously of himself in outstanding service to his community, county, and state."

Mr. Smith was recognized "for his many contributions to agriculture and time given to leadership roles in the community, county, and state."

Mrs. Giggie was honored "as an exemplary homemaker and leader whose civic pride and help has greatly benefited the community."

Mrs. Lewis' award was given "for vision and wisdom in serving both family and state and for outstanding leadership."



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CUB SCOUT PACK HOLDS MONTHLY MEETING

Randy Mills and Steve Hastings participated in the Flag Holding ceremony of the monthly meeting of Cub Scout Pack No. 165 on Friday evening at the Congregational Church.

Cubmaster Edward Robertson gave an inspiring talk on the purposes and values of scouting.

Mrs. Margaret Trinward will be mother of newly-formed Den No. 2 with Steve Trinward as Den Chief.

Awards were presented as follows:

Keeper of the Buckskin: Alan Remington, Randy Swan, Philip Runnels, John Thurston, Wayne Davis.

1 year Service Pin: Craig Walker.

2 year Service Pin: Donald Donahue, Chris Bailey, Steve Hastings, Henry Deegan.

Gold Arrows: Alan Howe, Craig Walker, Jimmy Dock, David Hutchins, James Perkins, Jimmy Young, Randy Swan, Terry Pawlock, Bruce Smith.

Silver Arrows: Andy Davis, Philip Runnels, Jimmy Dock, Dickie Waldron, James Perkins, Terry Pawlock, Bruce Smith, Dave Keniston.

Bobcats: John Trinward, Bruce Smith.

Wolf: Jimmy Dock, Terry Pawlock, David Keniston, Bruce Smith.

Bear: Craig Walker, Philip

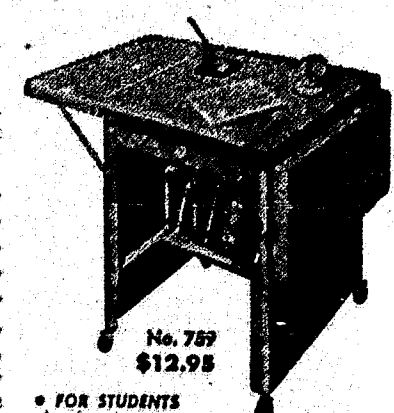
Runnels, Donald Donahue, Randy Swan.

Lion: James Young, James Perkins, David Hutchins, Philip Rolfe, Ned Robertson.

Presentation of the Charter was made by Carroll Valentine to Dick Waldron, Institutional Representative, who accepted for Cub Scout Pack No. 165, which is sponsored by the Women's Fellowship of the Congregational Church.

There will be a Den Mothers meeting April 10 at 7:00 p. m. at the home of Edward Robertson.

The next Pack Meeting will be held Friday, April 28, at the West Parish Congregational Church.



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